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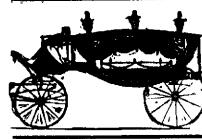
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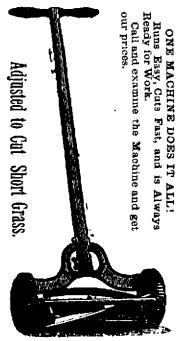
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had been instructed by an engineer. -Report says that T. B. Aldrich has dog trained to carry rolls of MS. sent in by would-be contributors to the Atlantic Monthly and drop them into the waste basket.

-A German cattle food, which had arge sale, was found to contain vegetable ivory turnings eighty-eight parts and common salt twelve parts in one hundred; value, nil.

-American capitalists are said to be investing heavily in Mexican mines, which can be worked much cheaper than mines in this country, owing to the low price of labor. -A Minnesota editor is said to have

gone South to recover his health. This proves the wanton inconsistency of some men. If he had lost his health why didn't he advertise for it in his paper?-N. Y. Graphic. -Should those who live in the city buy more fruit and less candies and

nuts, their children would be healthier, as eating nuts and sweets cause more sickness in children than any thing else. Try more fruits and note results. -The Decorator and Furnisher says The effect of an advertisement and the returns it may bring can never be

*f*oretold, as constant inquiries are made concerning articles that have been advertised and discontinued months before." -Flour barrels made from paper pulp have been tested and approved by the chief inspector of the New York

Produce Exchange. They are light, tight, seamless and strong, and the pulp can be made from common marsh weeds and grasses. —An electric motor for a street car, which is in the car itself, and not as an independent engine, has been worked

out by Mr. Jarman, an Englishman.

It is placed under the car between the

axles, and does not interfere with the construction of the car. -Among the many curious and in teresting works of the largest library in the world, at Paris, is a Chinese chart of the heavens, made about 600 B.C. In this chart 1,460 stars are cor-

rectly inserted, as corroborated by the observations of modern astronomers. -According to the American Grocer the total annual expenditure for tobacco in the United States is \$256,500,000, which represents a per capita tax of \$3.44 per annum. Cigarettes cost \$6,500,000 and chewing tobacco \$50,000,000 a year. The cost of tobacco is more than double the loss by fires.

-Paris has discovered a new poet Jehan Sarrazin by name, who is not a peasant like Rolline, has not been ouffed by Albert Wolff, does not know Sarah Bernhardt, is not a Parisian or a man of the world, but is a peddler of olives in a concert hall. He sells his books with his olives: is becoming wealthy, has real talent in him and will be famous, so they say.—Boston Globe.

-Louis Blanding, of California, says the generally accepted statement that the largest nugget ever found in Cali-fornia was worth a little more than \$21,000 is erroneous. He says that J. J. Finney, "Old Virginia," found a piece of gold about six miles from Downieville Sierre Commend 21, 1866, that weighed 5,000 ounces. The gold of that vicinity was worth \$18 per ounce, which would make the value of the nugget \$90,000.

-Among the many desires that sway the hearts and actuate the lives of men there is none more universal than the desire of a good name. While some are anxious for wealth and some for fame, while some crave knowledge and others affection, all unite in hop ing that among their various posses sions that of a good name may be prominent. If this desire could utterly die out of any man's breast we should rightly conclude that he had sunk into the most hopeless depths of degradation.—N. Y. Ledger.

-Dr. Sargent, of the Harvard gymnasium has examined Hanlan, the oarsman, and says that he has "a great head and an excellent body all the way down to the legs." Judged by a standard of perfection the oarsman's legs and arms are too short. Dr. Sargent says that this defect has made Hanlan the oarsman he is; and that the power from the shoulders, back and loins, together with the immense leverage given by the short legs and arms, is what has made him almost the per fection in build for a sculler.

-A most remarkable and interesting mineral in Arkansas is the white malleable iron ore. It is found in the corner of Howard County adjoining the frontier of Montgomery, Polk and Pike. During the war, it is stated on good authority, the inhabitants of the vicinity used to take the ore as it was picked up from the ground, and, in an ordinary blacksmith forge, hammer it into horse shoe nails. It can be abundantly proved heated in an ordinary blacksmith forge, can be welded and beaten into any desired shape.—Boston Budget.

-A new disinfecting compound for purifying the atmosphere of the sick room has just been presented to the Berlin Medical Society. Oils of rose-mary, lavender and thyme, in the proportion of 10, 21 and 21 respectively are mixed with nitric acid in the proportion of 30 to 11. The bottle should be shaken before using and a sponge saturated with the compound, and left to diffuse by evaporation. Simple as it is, the vapor of this compound is said to possess extraordinary properties in controlling the odors and effluvia of offensive and infectious diseases.

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Notice in Chancery. STATE OF ILLINOIS, ( 88 COUNTY OF MACON.)

In the Circuit Court of said County, to the June Term, A. D. 1887. In the Circuit Conit of said County, to the June Term, A. D. 1887.

Susan H. Murphy vs. William G. Murphy In Chancery. No. 12,687.

Affidavit of the non-residence of the above named William G. Murphy having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, public notice is kereby given to the said William G. Murphy hat the above named Susan H. Murphy hat heretofore filled her bill of complaint against him in this count, that a summons was issued against him in said course relatinable into said court on the first day of the January Term, A. D. 1887, holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county and state, and commencing on the second Monday of January, A. D. 1887, that at said term said cause was continued; that an alias summons hath been issued in said cause against him, returnable into the same court at the June Term, A. D. 1887, to be holden at the same place, and commencing on the first Monday of Jane, A. D. 1887, to be holden at the same place, and commencing on the first Monday of Jane, A. D. 1887, then and where said cause is now jending.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk, app. 25-44w.

Notice In Chancery. STATE OF ILLANOIS, | SS MACON COUNTY. | )

n the Circuit Court, to the June Term, A. D. 1877. Charles P. Housum and James Milikin ohn Trainer, Emily V.S. Leslie G. McPherson, Logan G. McPherson and Mand Hickman.—In Chancery.

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Notice is berely given to the said Jesse Kinnear, Lesdi G. Mel'hereson logan G. Mel'hereson and Mand Brekman that the above named complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the Above named defendants, returnable on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of Blacon county, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, on the First Monday in June A. D. 1887, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending E. McClellan, Clerk.

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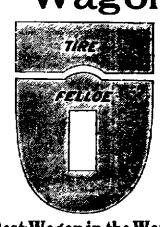
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The undersigned having been appointed Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Peter D. Kline, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the June term, on the Third Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to ask teste are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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FRIDAY EVE., MAY 6, 1897.

THE state fair bill, which was the special order in the senate yesterday, was recommitted to the committee on agriculture, where it will in all probability continue to sleep for some time.

Hos, WM. Grason has our thanks for a copy of the new revenue bill. Only men of lessure, however, can expect to wade through its contents, 335 sections, covering 111 large pages. How can the public ever be expected to wade through such a mass? fafe is altogether too

Tax legislature of West Virginia yesterday elected Charles J. Faulkner, of Martinsburg, to be United States Senstor. The successful candidate, who is an able and popular pulge, about forty years of age, as a son of the late Charles J. Faulkner, a representative in Congress before the war, and Minister to France under President Buchanan.

The average Democrat is totally una-

ble to understand the application of the civil service rules. A recent Washington. depatch states that appeals are being recovered contaminally from the indorsers of those who have passed satisfactory exammations, for minestate appointment, moder the impression, that this test having been braved, all other ceremonies can be waived. Communications of this kind bave become so numerous that a form of answer has been prepared, stating that an examination simply puts a caudidate on the list of eligibles, and their certification by the Civil Service Commusiciners depends upon the standing of the applicant and upon the apportionment of the state to which he belongs. Even Congression have called upon the Commissioners to have their constituents certified for vacaneses known to exist, only to be refused.

La regimes so and deliberation characterize the delinerations of the meeting. to-might. The time for speeches glorifymg Decatin and its advantages has gone by, and the time has come for active, enorgetic, never ceasing, intelligent work. The organization to be formed should be carefully guarded as to the provisions ands for meressing and extending our productive industries, and no room should be left in it for the exercise of those pershar gifts which are brought into play only when some selfish object is to be attained. The good of all the people, the interests of everybody in the city, the general welfare of Decatur, are the obpera to be promoted by the organization. and therefore every public-spirited citizon should take a part in putting it upon its feet and keeping it in notion. The purposes of its being are with as to enlist the active reoperation of all who desire to see our city forge to the front, and it is to be hoped that all such will be on hand to take part

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### Tirris O May 6 The Jury of the case of the State of Observe Charles K. Hainer

for maritor, came in al two o clock vester day After answering to their names the fromin in handed the erdiet to the clerk, which was rold and to as follows the pary having been duly empaneled and sworn, fluid from the evidence that the said defendant, Charles, K. Games, is in manner and form as he stands taged of all loar in legands The cour! charged in such that then the court come which was picked full, was as still is death when the clock fluis sed reading The personer beaved a deep sigh which could plunly be heard, tremble I like a baffor a few moments, and then crushing his hat in his hands prosend it to his sight less eyes, as if to wipe away tears that did not come. His wife, who was in the court room turned pide but showed no outward signs of the terrible angulsh sho noist have suffered. A motion for a new treal was made and will be heard this

morning. The reucder for which Caines, was con victed occurred last August in a snion row in Melmore, the counts. The case is a very personal one on a count of the do-fendant, Games, being totally blad, having lost both eves when he is is four

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E. Chiefferes, who was also concurred.

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FROM WASHINGTON.

The Surveyor of the Port of New York on Presidential Probabilities.

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Collector Beattle on Presidential Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Mr. Heattle, the surveyor of the port of New York, is in surveyor of the port of New York, is in town, and in an interview with a Star re-porter yesterday, talked quite freely about the political feeling in New York, In the interview he was asked: think Mr. Cleveland will get

"Do you think Mr. Cleve New York delegation. the New "I see no indications to the contrary,

was the reply. "I am so busy that I don't get any time to look into politics, but men whom I meet, who do keep the run of things, think Mr. Cleveland will get the delegation. That seems to be the intellidelegation. That seems to be the intelli-gent impression."
"Will Mr. Hill be a candidate," the reporter asked. "I have no means of judging. My opin-ion as to that would be worth absolutely nothing. I do not know what Governor Hill's ambitions are. It is not the desires of an individual that lift him; it is the

wish of the people. A man can not force the popular will. He must be carried by it. It looks as if Mr. Cleveland were in the tide this time." "Bhould Mr. Cleveland be renominated, do you think there is any class of Demo-crats in New York that would bolt the ticket?" the Star man asked.

No, I think there is no such feeling as "In there any disposition among those

T'I see no reason why there should be.

mon who are likely to control the political affairs of the Hute to antagonize Mr. Cleveland with Mr. Hill?" "Quite the contrary. I think they agree (and in this they take their I think thoy all

agree (and in this they take their cue from the President's own example) that the welfare of the province the welfare of the party depends u their looking well to the interests of State, and they are devoting themselves to this. Particularly in these parts of the State where there has been friction and distrust they are working to restore con-fidence and harmony. All the business people seem to be well pleased with the Administration." Do you think the Democrats can carry

the State on the Presidential election! can not see how it is at all likely to be otherwise. I can not conceive its go-

ing the other way, unless," he added, "some great blunder should be made. I think, looking at it that fur shoad, that the State is sure. Mr. Cleveland's administrution has inspired the confidence and approval of people all over the coun-Queen Espiciani Visits the Arsenal.

Washington, May 5.—Queen Kaplolani and suite visited the arsenal this morn-ing, where they were received by General Urbson, commandant, and the officers on duty there. A royal salute was fired, and an artillery and battallon drill given in honor of the visitors. After theartillery drill, which was the first the Queen has ever seen, General Gibson tendered the party a reception and lunch at his residence. The party is expected to attend the races this afternoon.

Bufore going to the races the Queen re-ceived a deputation of Masons of the Scottish Rite degree at the Arlington, and was ish it degree at the Arthques, and where the deried a diplomatio reception at the residence of Mr. Cartes, the Hawaii an Consul. After this the royal party drove out to the races at Ivy City, and to-night they occupied reserved serts at Forepaugh's circus.
The Colic this evening comments as fol-

The ("Aise tens evening comments as 101-iows upon Queen Kapiolani's wanderings away from home: "The Queen says she is going to Righand to be present at the catebration of Victoria's jubilee, but it is hinted the roal object of the trip is a financial one Kalskua is trying to mort-gage his kingdom for \$2,000,000, and G. W. McFarlane, a Yankse member of his Privy Council, is now in London endeavoring to that the bonds. It is up-hill work, however, and the King's advisers have shrowdly arranged this roya' excursion. hoping thereby to make an impression on cold. five pur British Kulakua did not come along, because his exchequer is a little short, and when Kalakus travels he wants to see all the ritios along his route, and the elephants thereof. That takes a good deal of money and the King is willing to defer his junket until he hears how the negotiations in London come ulong The American Missionaries in Siam-

The American Missionaries in Siam. WASHINOTON, May 6 —Secretary of State Bayard is in receipt of a dispatch from the United States Minister at Bangkok, reporting that the Siamese King and Queen, who have lately returned from a visit to Putchaburo, express much gratification at the course pursued by the American missionaries there, and stating that their Maissters gave liberally of that their Majestys gave liberally of money to the hospital established by them, to the missionary re of Messrs. missionary schools in Messrs. Colt, Small at that point. bnu and Neilson at that point. with a handsome gold watch-chain and Dr Thompson with a gold medal and pencil, for their meritorious conduct in as sisting the sufferers of a gun-boat, which exploded near Petchabure, and manifest-ed in several other ways his high regard for the work which the American missionaries are doing in Blam.

American Capital and Citizens Wanted in Persia. Washington, May 0.—Through recent dispatches received at the Department of State from the United States legation at Teheran, it is loarned that the Shah con tinues to manifest much interest in the relation between the United States and Persia, and expresses the desire and hope that the resources of that king-dum should be developed by the aid of capital furnished by the citizens of a neutral, friendly country, such as the United States. Opportunities for the construction of railways in Persia by American companies are spoken of, and, in particular, a line of railway from the Persian Gulf to the capital, Teheran, is suggested.

### The Mational Drill.

Washington, May 6.—Major-General C. Augur, commandant of the National Drill eucampment, has appointed on his staff Brigadior-General James A. Carna-han, of Indiana; Brigadier-General Johnston Jones, of North Carolina; Burgeon David W. Vandall, of Louisville,

the American Cadet Band, of Milwaukee; Band of the Second Brigade Iowa National Guard; Volunteer Southrone' Band, of Vicksburg, and Drum Corps of the Louis-ville Legion. The Busch Zousves, of St. Louis, have saked permission to enter the camp, although too late to compete for a prize.

Commission Canceled.

Washington, May 6.—The Guatemalan Charge d'Affairs at Washington has notified the Secretary of State that the President of that republic has canceled the commission of W. T. Brigham as Consul of Guntemala at Boston.

The Paoise Bailroads Investigation— Sidney Dillon on the Back.

Naw Yoak, May 6.—Sidney Dillon gave testimony yesterday before the Pacific Railway Commission in regard to the Railway finances of the Union Panific Railroad Company, of which he was formerly pres-ident, and is still a leading stockholder. He grew restive under the searching questions of Commissioner Anderson in regard to the relations of the Union Pa-cific to its branch lines, In several in-stances he pleaded lack of memory in reference to entries on the company's books.
Finally he asked permission to s statement, granted. He made was granted. He then made quite a speech, defending the policy of throwing out branch lines as feeders, and claiming that he originated it. He said that that policy had caused an original outlay of 88,000,000, but had soon vindicated itself by adding \$8,000,000 a year to the revenues of the company. His successor had adopted the poor policy of paying off the \$8,003,000 debt with the profits of the branch lines. Mr. Dillon would have devoted half those earnings to that purpose, and the other half to extending the branches. The Union Pacific would have become bankrupt but for the The Government has sold lands along the feeders, and profited out of what it had forbidden the company to If the Government is dissatisfied with its mortgages on those lines, said Mr. Dillon, he would buy the Government out and pay \$1,000,000 more than the cost of construction. He declared that the investigation was going to benefit the Union Pacific. Commissioner Anderson wanted Mr.

Dilton to explain why it was that after the consolidation of the Union Pacific, Denver Pacific and Kansas Pacific in 1878, the 39,895 shares of Denver Pacific held by Mr. Dillon, as trustee, or their equivalent of \$2,986,000, did not appear on the Union Pacific balance sheet.

The witness could not explain, but became somewhat excited and said, hotly

"No man connected with the Union Pa-cific ever received a dollar of that stock." He admitted h t the consolidation added \$3,000,000 to the value of the Denver Pacific securities, within twenty four hours BASE BALL.

### Games Played Thursday, May 4, 1887. LEAGUE. Philadel-

Washington-Nationals, 5; Philad-phias, 5-called on account of darkness. Detroit-Detroits, 5; Marcons, 3. New York-New York, 6; Bostons, 6. AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Clevelands - Cincinnatis, 6;

Philadelphia - Baitimores, 7; Athlet-Brooklyn - Brooklyns, 16: Metropoli-

New Orleans-New Orleans, 11; Savannahs, 11.

Jersey City - Hamiltons, 7; Jersey Citys, 4.

Omaha-Omahas, 15; Lincolns, 11.

The Flood on the Penobscot BANGOR, Mo. May 8.—The water remains at about the same height. The bridge plers are being slowly undermined.
Wednesday night the pressure at the dam
broke the connections of the main pump in the water works, completely disabling them. A rotary pump, which is kept for emergencies, is being used, but only one-eighth of the city's water sup-ply is available. All the clevators which are run by water or atean are shut down. The Maine Central people think they will be unable to start a train for St. John under two weeks. The washouts at Coa-lign, Kingman and Mattawamakega continue. Farmers will be weeks behind with their crops. All the trestle work supporting the reilroad at Stillwater has been torn away, and houses there be-longing to John Morrison & Co. have tloated down the river.

### The Inter-State Commission

Mamphis, Tenn., May 6 — The Inter-State Commerce Commission concluded its labors yesterday, after hearing evidence from merchants of Memphis, Louisville, Lexington, Lattle Rock and Newport, Ark, to the effect that the enforcement of section four would be disastrous to the commerce and industries of the points named. The Louisville & Nashville, the Nashville, - Chattanooga & St. Louis and the Chesapeake, Ohlo & Southern railroads were granted two weeks time to file arguments and statistical information in support of their petition for the per-manent suspension of section four. Rep-resontatives of river interests were in attendance, and asked leave to present their case in writing, which was granted. The opinion prevails that the testimony taken here has not impressed the Commiss ion adversely to section four. Naughty Miss Ballou.

Naughty Miss Ballou.

New York, May 6.—Mrs. Ida Anthony, of Plainfield, N. J., has brought suit for \$60,000 damages against Miss Jeannett Ballou for allenation of the affections of her husband, D. E. Anthony, a lawyer practicing in this city. Miss Ballou is an orphan, and grandbaughter of the late Theodore Ballou, who was one of the wealthiest citizens of Utica. Mrs. Anthony alleges that Miss Ballou possessed. thony sileges that Miss Ballou possessed un unaccountable influence over Mr. An thony, who is of an extremely nervous temperament and delicate health, and that she induced him to leave his home and live with her. The case came before Supreme Court yesterday, but was postponed. I e in the Soo River Disappearing.

CHEROYGAN, Mich., May 6.—The Messenger and Minnie, the first boats through the Soo river, arrived back last night and report the ice in the river disappearing rapidly. A big fleet has already passed through. The schooner James F. Joy ran ashore near this port vestorday afternoon, but a tug from this city released her be fore any serious dumage had been sus-tained. The schooner F. C. Leighton, coal laden, is reported ashorout Mckinac. The tug Levisthan is in readiness to render her assistance if wunted.

Pleaded Guilty of Assaulting an Officer, and Apologised. BROOKLYN, May 6.—Jim Dunn, the exprize fighter, yesterday pleaded guilty to the charge of assaulting Police-Inspector MacKellar. He afterwards apologized to the inspector, and they shook hands. The justice postponed sentence until Saturuay.

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PETER SMITH,

The Murderer of John Hannan Hanged in the Tombs Jail Yard.

The Condemned Man Meets His Fate With Resignation-The Story of His Crime.

He Was Drunk, Met and Quarreled With His Victim, and His Gun Went Off.

Naw York, May 5.—Peter Smith, who while in company of Alexander Sweeney, killed watchman John Hannan at the foot of East Thirty-Eighth street on the night of April 17, 1885, was hanged in the Tombs prison yard this morning. The drop fell at seven twenty-six o'clock, and twenty minutes after life was pronounced extinct. His death resulted from shock, and was almost instantaneous. For the first time in time in the history

of this State the criminal was put to death in obedience to a mandate of a court on Thursday instead of on Friday. Hmith arose early this morning, and after ex-change of a few words with the deputy sheriffs who had been keeping guard over him all night, proceeded to put on the black suit in which he was to be hanged. He had barely completed his ab-lutions and dressed himself when Pather Duranguet, his spiritual advisor, arrived. and was immediately ushered into the condemned man's cell Father Duranguet shook Smith cordially by the hand, and taking a crucifix from his pocket and holding it in front of him knelt down with the condemned and prayed. After pray-ing a few minutes Father Duranguet spoke consolingly to the murderer, and then heard his last confession. This ceremony over, Smith, escorted by

Duranguet and Deputy Warden Finley, went to the little chapel in the fe-male prison, where the priest celebrated mass and administered holy communion to the condemned. In the meantime, Sheriff Grant, Under

She iff Sexton, the hangman, Joe Atkins, and his assistants and the aberiff's doputies had arrived. Immediately upon the conclusion of mass in the chapel, demned was escorted back to his cell, where breakfast swatted him. It consisted of loist, eggs and coffee, but Smith ate very little. His spiritual adviser remained constantly with him. Sheriff Grant entered the cell shortly after the condemnet had flaished eat u.c.

and read the death warrant. The hing-man, who was then for the first time introduced to Smith, pinto ethis arms and place! the black cap on his heid, and a few mi inter after the procession to the scaffold began, Sheriff Grant and Und Sheriff Sexton leading, two deputy wi-dens continent, and then the condemned with Father Duranguet, robed in surplace and sontane at his side. The other deputies brought up the rear. Smith looked neither to the right nor left, but marched right on with firm steps until he stood

under the fatal noose.

The rope was quickly adjusted by the executioner, who then bound the prisoner's hands and feet. Father Duranguet raised his orneral to the murderer's hips and then knelt down and recited a litany, to which the condemned made proper reaponses in a clear voice.

When Father Duranguet had finished,

the black cap was drawn over Smith's face, a signal was given, and the hung-man severed the ropewhich held theweight on the other end of the rope. The weight being thus rolensed, fell to the ground and jerked the murder upward. The body rebounded considerably and then swung gently around. There were a few musgently around. There were a few mus-cular contractions and the body hung quietly until cut down.

The execution passed off without the slightest hitch.

When the body had been lowered into the cofflin and the lid closed, it was driven away in an undertaker's wagon Before retiring last night Smith, at the suggestion of his keepers, walked out in the corridors to bid good-bye to his fellow prisoners. He took an affecting farewell from Alexander Sweeney, his partner in the murder of Hannan. Both men were weeping when they parted, and Smith solemnly declared that Sweeney had no hand in the murder. When Smith returned to his cell he

talked freely with the deputy sheriff: He gave a short sketch of his life to his hearers He denounced the use of runnin no unmeasured terms, and declared that it was the cause of his being in his piesent condition. He concluded as follows: "Now I will tell you what I have never

told any of you folks before. The true facts of the crime for which I will be hanged. Sweeney and I went down to the dock where Hannan was to meet two girls by appointment—I had been drink-ing Some kind of a kick occurred bedock tween me and Hannan. I, unfortunately, had a gun. It went off, and that's the whole story of the case." At the conclusion of his narrative, the

keepers urged Smith to go to bed, which he did, but his sleep was anything but The O I Company Conspiracy Case

Burfalo, N. Y., May 5.—The trial of the oil company conspiracy case was resumed this morning.

Mrs. Mary Miller was recalled. She said

her husband had received a bonus from the Standard Oil Company for leaving Buffalo. The only money she ever re-ceived from H. B Everest was in 1881. The money was given to buy samples of oil from the Buffalo works. the cross-examination brought out no

newfuots.
Mr. Jos. S. Stern, of Boston, was called,

He was employed by the Vacuum On Works in that city. His testimony is simply relative to business transactions Preparing to Receive Mc. O'Brien.

New York, May 6.—The committee having the matter in charge, have completed arrangements for the recention of O'Brien on his arrival from Ireland. Mr. John H Starin has placed one of his steamers at the committee's disposal. The steamer will go down the bay lay morning with the committee and invited guests aboard, and will take Mr. O'Brien off the Umbris and escort him to the city. A public welcome will be ten-tered Mr. O'Brien Wednesday evening at a mass meeting in the Cooper Union, at which Mayor Hewitt has been invited to preside.

### Death of William DePauw, the Phil n thropist.

Chicago, May 6.—William DePauw, the capitalist, whose gifts to the university at Green Castle, Ind., bearing his name, aggregate one million dollars, -was stricken with apoplexy Wednesday night at Dearborn station. Mr. DePauw died at zoon yeaterday. 100n yesterday,

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he Chattarot Bailroad he Chattarot Bailroad.
May 6.—The Master Comterday, in Covington, sold
railroad by virtue of an
from the United States
district of Kentucky. The
a George C. Wood, who actdholders of the Charleston,
Chicago railroad, which is
n Charleston, S. C., to Chice raid was \$780,000, and the n Charleston, S. C., to Chi-ce paid was \$780,000, and the 9,000. The road was sold on s of a mortgage held by the ompany, of New York. The form a link in the Charles-& Chicago, which is being South Carolina to a juncd, Ky.

on and Steel Trade.

IA, May 6.—The Bulletin, of Iron and Steel Association nd for and the price of iron fallen off since January 1. outed to three causes: A of production, the disturb-ythe Inter-State Commerce y the Inter-State Commerce eused importations. The zer, does not consider the raging, and sees a tendency ion of the avils named, espe-and building is active, the minerce question is sure to the labor situation is im-

Her Baltimore Engage.

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Md., May 6.—Mme. Patti
d to sing in Baltimore tovening she telegraphed her
t to cancel the engagement, se in the papers this morning to the sudden heat, it was

bedient for her to undergo The sale of seats at the usic, where the diva was to t, was not as large as had, but the agent denies that bing to do with her non-ap-

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May 6.—There is a great
ment in West Chester over
the supervisor McGrory, who
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ing Democratic faction. A
of sympathizers gathered
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is authority, but the prisoved to New Rochelle, beized attempt could be made. izel attempt could be made.

ecided a Draw

ecided with the same of this town met a new-zishman with three cunce ld here Wednesday evening. ed as feather weights, and ouslibrable scales. There wan'y five spectators. The ventur rounds of three minan with a bout which last-mutes. As neither so emer this antagonist, the fight a draw. Both were pretty at the finish.

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Averted.

May 6.—At 4 p. m. vester i the still-house of W. J. M. terine factory and chemical. 710 and 713 Plumb street damage to stock. \$3,00 to \$2,000 damage to machinery it of \$10,000 loss. It was full, portion burned was in damity to the larger part of sent, and a disastrous consumption of the street of th s narrowly averted.

onument on the Site of ickett's Charge.

1, Pa., May 6.—A committee Pickett's division C. S. A. is fer with the Battle-Field sociation regarding a monutant Pickett's grange. The ite of Pickett's charge. The onsists of Colonel R. L. in P. E. Reave and Captain. The Wisconsin and Maine s left for their homes yes

eamship Miranda.
HAVEN, Mass., May 6.—The
randa, of Liverpool, from
r Boston, before reported ar Tree Neck, lies easy, the rfectly smooth. There are water in her hold, but she be finded without much has a cargo of 2,641 bales igned to the Besten agents ros., of New York.

um Officials Arrested For

Y. May 6. The grand jury ndietiments against Henry B. Hartley and Elward to asylum officials, for manthe second degree, for causendants were arreste son and lo iged in jail. ps and Government Build-

nge Inspected.

R. 1. May 6.—The training own, Stratoga, Portsmouth ipshire, and the Government Coaster's Harbor Island, d yesterday by Commodore r the Commodore reviewed ce boys and awarded the

. the Connecticut River-

N. H., May 6.—A great jam med near Waterford bridge, cticut river, damming the ding the water around by the ously injuring it and render

quet of the Alpha Delta Phi.

y 5.—The annual banquet of lelta Phi fraternity at the le last night, was presided Joseph H. Choate, of New ches were made by Mr. E. E. Hale, Rev. Phillips thers. thers.

ought For Blood

May 6.—Jimmy Larkin, of and Billy Murray, of this six savage rounds with kid are on Long Island early yes-ng. Larkin had the best of vay through, and purched unsensibility in the sixth light was for blood.

of Hon. Oliver Hoyt. Conn., May 8 .- Hon. Oliver

Stamford's most honored here yesterday in conse-

aries received by an accident Missing

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R. I., May 6.—Equipment to Creighton of the United ig ship Baratoga, is missing, ids fear be has committed

or Strong-Minded Women. Conn., May 6.—The House bill making women eligible district school boards.

Mr. Lawrence is in town with a mailbox intended for use at private residences for the reception of mail matter and local papers. Parties desiring a convenient and safe box for their mail matter should provide themselves with a box of this

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Dr. Hubbell At Jacksonville this week. Institute

will be open again on May 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th, for Examination of Eyes and Adjustment of Spectacles. Honrs 8 a.

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Pacific stocks. He made no inquiries as
to the authority to make the transfer of
the stocks. He left that to his senior
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No. 13, " " Gold-Plated,			6.50
No. 14, Plain Nickel Case, Sweep sec	ond :	band,	6,0
No. 18, Plain Case, with stop atta	whin	ent for	
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Our business was established in 1855, thirty-two

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### 875 was awarded to John H. Finley, of Knox College, Ili., and the second to Mr. Parke Daniels, of Indiana College, Wabash. The announcement was met by IMBODEN BROS rapturous applause. Nine states were represented. "John Brown" wes Finley's subject; "Man and the State," Daniels'

"Good Company, Good Wine, Good Welcome, can Make O. Mathewa, whose beloved daughter. Inez, died the other day, are extended to

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Coffees.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WE are authorized to announce W. C. Forms a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

We are authorized to announce Thomas B there's a cambidate for Justice of the Peace

FRIDAY EVE. MAY 6, 1887.

LOCAL NEWS.

this line of ware at E. D. Bartholomew & Co.

it the opera house this evening.

corn planting rather late.

the grave and solemn truth.

THE Nillson pupils give their concert

THERE is not much prospect of a dry

mmmer at present. The rains will make

ALL men try to get the earth, but the

Tickers only cost 5 and 10 cents at Dr.

DEAL with Niedermeyer, the Mound

Tire J. B. Bullard undertaking estab-

Buy your monuments and grave-marks

of P. H. Hunt. Telephone 328, m6d1m

Cor. WHITE admits that Decatur

should have a new Union depot, but he

s powerless to have it put up, though he

ORDER the popular White Loaf and

This morning Joe Grass and his men

began painting the postoffice building.

The work is being done at the expense of

D. W. Brenneman, the owner of the

SEE the South Water street grocers,

lanks & Patterson, for early vegetables,

Ann subscribers to the buom fund will

attend the mase meeting at the court

tonso to-night and help organize the

Board of Trade. The proceedings will be

RESERVED seats for the Juvenile con-

ert Friday night, on sale at Prescott's

THE church at Jacksonville has granted

Rev. W. H. Musgrove a vacation until

the meeting of conference in September,

his salary to be paid regularly. Rev. M.

s yet in feeble health and needs rest

THE choice country butter is made by

Nickey. It is sold at Smith & Son's gro-

Dr. Warrick's Mastodon Minstrels will

hold the boards at the open house to-

morrow afternoon and evening. See ad-

On May 27th the Wabash will sell ex-

mrsion tickets to Ottawa, Kansas, at one

are for the round trip, tickets good for

SELECT strawberries and vegetables to

suit you at Lehman & Bolen's grocery

THE arrangements for entertainment

delegates to the State S. S. Conven-

ion are not yet completed, and on to-

morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. rooms a meeting of all chairman

of such committees and any others who may desire to entertain will be held to

o ascertain the number of places secured.

Buy family groceries and vegetables at

At the inter-state oratorical contest at

Give the celebrated White Foam and

Domestic flour a trial. It is sold by all

THE grateful thanks of Mr. and Mrs.

all those kind neighbors and friends who

ame to their assistance in time of need.

leading grocers.

Bloomington Thursday, the first prize of

Knode & Osborne's store, 121 North

tore, 150 Merchant street.

trawbernes and other fruits.

only Bread flour. All grocers sell it.

The place is fitted up in fine style.

Warrick's opera house entertainment,

to-morrow afternoon and evening.

grocer. Strawborries every day.

tendance of visitors.

Haworth Block.

mght build it himself.

ourth gets them. This is not a joke; it is

MAJOLICA WARE-Special bargains in

Our No. 4, 25

Our No. 6, 30

Coffee!

Coffee! Coffee!

The Meeting To-Night. The mass meeting of citizens to be held

at the court house to-night to hear the Texas in September last, arrived home report of Chairman Loeb, of the boom last night and are guests at the Nev soliciting committee, should bring out a Deming Hotel, where they will remain big crowd. Important action will be several weeks. Both are in the best of taken, as the proposed Board of Trade is health, Mr. Priest looking ten years to be organized.

endered their services gratuitously and to him, but he has not lost anything. He will furnish lively music before the meet- has finished the construction of a mile of Distinguished Visitors.

General McNulta, receiver for the Wabash, and K. H. Wade, general superintendent, and other officials of the road will arrive in Decatur this evening from the south is getting new life, but needs the west in a special, and remain here good crops to bring it out. New York over night. The party will be enter- and Kansas City capital is finding its way tained at the Decatur Club parlors to to Dallas, Texarkana and other points. night. The gentlemen will be given the reedom of the city, and in every possible way their stay will be made pleasant.

Broke Out in a New Place. An old barn that cost about \$100, at the rear of the David Brockway tenenent property on North Union street, north of the Wabash road, was set on fire at one o'clock this morning, and was destroyed. The department arrived in time o save several valuable barns near by and also a dwelling. The fire was first | Decatur Base Ball Association was held discovered by a lady who had been awa- last night in the office of John A. Barnes kened to put a hungry cat out of the when officers were elected as follows for house. The whole neighborhood was the year: roused and remained awake the balance of the night. Some place the loss at \$75. Other barn-burners are abroad in the city. Young Joe Zeller is in custody on suspicion of firing one or more of the six other barns that have been burnt. He certainly had nothing to do with the

fire of this morning. A New Pastor. The Presbyterian church at Macon was night and a large audience was present, the occasion being the installation of Chapel last night. There was a large at- | ton, of Jacksonville, delivered the charge

THERE is a new weekly paper at Macon, Dr. Warrick was serenaded last night called The Signal. Mr. Gray is the by the Light Guard Band at his office. Blushing with embarrassment the Doctor delivered a speech of acknowledgment, islument is now located at 250 North and then gave a free banquet to the 16 seronaders and his troupe at Singleton's that Happy Callender can be secured for Water street, Masome Temple block. restaurant. Warrick says he will stay here until August 15. THE finest honey in the city can be

had at S. P. Cowan's grocery store in On Sunday next Rev. Robert McIntyre one of the most cloquent preachers in the IT is possible the directors will have to Illinois conference, will occupy the pulpit select a new secretary for the ball associat the First M. E. church. He preached ation. Parke Hammer states emphathere about six years ago. ically that he cannot serve, but he wants Status of the Fair Bill.

The disposition of the state fair bill i the Senate, locating the fair at Chicago Peoria, Decatur and Centralia, alternately, together with the feeling of the people at the capital, is thus briefly stated

by the Springfield News of last evening:

STATE FAIR. This morning when the state fair bill rume up in the Senate, Senator Shutt moved to refer the bill locating the fair to the committee on agriculture. Senator Bell, of Peoria, the tool of the Chicago ring, moved to amend by referring the bill to the committee on labor and manuactures. Mr. Bell's amendment was los factures. Mr. Bell's amendment was lost, the vote being 28 to 21. Senator Shutt's motion was then put and carried, by a vote of 28 to 21. This sends the bill to a committee not packed against Springfield, and gives us still a fair fighting chance for the final location of the state fair. If all the members from Chicago would be as fair as a Senator or two are there would be no question of it. Chicago does not want the state fair. She is only

THE "geographical social" is the latest The gentlemen are given cards, on each of which is printed the name of some county in the state, while each lady receives a card with a county-seat written upon it. Each gentleman hunts up the county seat of his county to take out to supper, and if the county seat is not known a forfeit of ten cents is exacted for the information. The forfeit is redeemable after supper in the usual unique way, all parties willing.

Eunice Goodrich

flighting Springfield out of pure cussed

Will commence a week's engagement at the opera house Monday night, producing for the opening bill the most successful drama, "The Banker's Daughter." Read the following from the Rock Island Argus: "The charming young actress, Miss Eunice Goodrich, opened a week's

engagement last night before an extremely large and highly delighted audience. The play of the evening was a society drama, 'The Banker's Daughter,' Miss Goodrich appearing in the comedy role of Florence St. Vincent Brown and she put sunshine and merriment enough in it to keep her audience in a good humor throughout. The entire support was a bonanza. above the average." The admission will be 10 and 20 cents. Seats secured withont extra charge at Prescott's music store. A Complaint. EDS. REPUBLICAN: Can you tell us why

or from what possible motive our street superintendent gives some business streets the preference over others in his periodical street cleaning? We have noticed for some time past, and again more recently, that Water street is receiving his best and most frequent attention in this respect, while others are "left"-that 

A FINE programme was artistically rendered before a large and appreciative audience at the recital of pupils at the Musical College last night. The participants were Misses Grace Boyer, Marie Shellabarger, Ida Simpson, Lillie Acuff. Don't forget that D. F. Hamsher has Lora Wissen, Neta Clark, Maggie Brownn large assortment of new buggies and ing, Emma Weigand, Lizzie Malloy, Ida carriages at his establishment on Wood | Evman. Addie Ebert. Lelah Gladish. Em-

Ex-Mayor Priest and wife, who went to

younger than when he went south. The The members of Goodman's band have trip has not been particularly profitable street car track at Texarkana, Texas, and ive officials will remain on the anxious has put the cars in motion. He immediseat until the next regular meeting, when ately sold his interest in the improve ment. He will go south again to look after railway interests. Mr. Priest says

> Another Purchase. To-day Daniel H. Heilman sold to Josiah M. Clokey, lots 9 and 10 and the south half of lots 2, 4 and 6, all in block 2 of the resurvey of blocks 1, 2, 3 and south half of block 4 of the 4th Rolling Mill addition to Decatur. The lots face south on East William street. Price \$1200. Sale by Warren & Durfee. Play Ball.

A meeting of the new directors of the

President—Ed. W. Heilman. Secretary and Treasurer—Parke Ham-

Manager—Frank W. Haines.
Assistant Manager—George R. Brett.
The capital stock of the Association having been increased to \$4,000, it is now in good shape for the season, and as it has active, energetic young business men in charge of the affairs, the outlook for good and profitable games is exceedingly elaborately decorated with flowers last bright. The formation of a state league bringing in Peoria, Springfield, Jacksonville, Quincy, Belleville, Edwardsville and Rev. John Illsley, who has been stated Alton will awaken an interest and rivalry supply since September last as paster of that cannot fail to bring out the crowds. the church. The sermon was preached Decatur will hold her own in the league by Rev. W. H. Prestley, of Decatur. Rev. by engaging two good batteries and util-E. S. McMichael, of Springfield, gave the izing the home talent. A call will be charge to the pastor, and Rev. Mr. Mor-made at once for the \$1500 recently subscribed. The club has a splendid set of officers, and Manager Haines will look after the interests of the club in a business sense faithfully. The directors were level headed in electing Mr. Haines manager. Mr. Brett will make an active assistant. The formation of a new club will now engage attention. It is said

PERSONAL MENTION.

Edward Powers is in Chicago to-day. C. E. Dawson visited Lintner to-day on D. S. Shellabarger and son visited Cerro Gordo to-day.

Judge J. W. Wilkin will hold court at Mrs. J. M. Ehrman will return from St. Joe, Mo., next week.

A. J. Smith and daughter went to Mt. Zion to-day. Mrs. Lucy Bell, of Mt. Zion, was in Decutur to-day on a shopping expedition. Bert Corneau returned to Edwardsville

Mrs. C. H. Brown will go south toforrow to visit her parents. Mrs. Fred, Jones is seriously ill with

Mrs. T. P. Matthews has been visiting Mrs. G. A. Hurd and sons left this

fternoon for Logansport, Ind. John Morarity and family left for Be neut to-day, where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Willoughby, of Ma-con,dined at the Hotel Brunswick to-day. W. H. Grindol left for Atwood this ifternoon to put up a monument.

W. D. Ainsworth, agent for the Eunice Goodrich troupe, was in the city last Samuel Mellinger, of Burlington, Iowa,

Rev. T. I. Coultas has been engaged to leliver the oration at the decoration day xercises at Cerro Gordo on May 30th. James R. Stice, the crack shot of Jacksonville, has gone to Gainesville, Texas, to participate in a shooting tournament. He will represent Illinois and will win his share of prizes.

Mrs. Cal Wagner.

day by way of Peoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Demas Barrackman and daughter left for Worthington, Ind., this afternoon. They have been visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. E. A. Stroh, Mrs. Cal. Waggoner, Miss Ida Mellinger, Miss Annie Litterer, Miss Mi Dempsey, Grant Waggoner and Samuel Mellinger lett for Burlington to-

Rather Odd. George Rees, of Niantic, is the proud wher of a porcine curiosity in the shape

of a pig with three heads, three tails and six legs. He took it to Sunday school last Sabbath and exhibited it to the delighted urchins. If it lives he will have The Hoopeston Chronicle says Eugene George has a cow which gave birth to

twin calves a few weeks ago. The next week four of his ewes had twin lambs; the next week his more achieved twin colts, and on last Saturday Mrs. George presented him with twins-a boy and a GEO. W. EHRHART has the best Nut

Coal in town. Try it. Telephone 139. Natural Gas Notes. Low pressure gas is considered best for lights and fuel. A shale formation is considered a good

mriace indication. Natural gas is a product of petroleum and is a hydro-carbon gas. The earliest utilization of natural gas was at Fredonia, N. Y., in 1821.

An ordinary stove can be heated for 25

cents a month by the use of natural gas.

There's one beautiful thing about nat-

ural gas-it don't need a meter to help it

Standing Committees Selected—28 Liquor Licenses Granted--

THE CITY LEGISLATURE.

Council Chips. At the adjourned meeting of the new city council held last night, Mayor Kanan and all the aldermen were present. The Mayor appointed only the members of the standing committees. The appoint-

reports on natural and artificial gas maters will probably be presented. John Sutter asked the council to give him a rebate of \$12.10 on liquor license, as he closed up his place of business nine days ago. Placed on file. The council under the ordinance has no power to grant

A. J. Blain, John A. Swearingen, Henry Smith, J. T. Hubbard and C. F. Shilling were granted druggists' permits.

Wayne, of the Decatur fire department, ecommended the following appropriations for the department for the ensuing municipal year:

Salary Commissioners \$ 108	90
" Fire Marshal 500	00
" Employes 6,000	<b>(X)</b>
Forage for borses. 450	00
Unemicals for engine	
Extra wheels, etc	
FOR NEW houses 600	
Blacksmithing 160	
COM 40	80
Freight, etc	90
Five hundred feet new hose 400	œ
Repairs, etc 200	00
Incidentals 880	90
Total \$9,528	100

The commissioners recommend as a public improvement the erection of a building suitable for the use of the fire department, complete in all its departments, not to exceed \$4,000. Also that one new chemical engine and other necessary apparatus be purchased, new outfit to cost not more than \$7,780. Referred to fire department committee. LIQUOR LICENSES. They were granted for three months

to Edward Grubel, P. W. Finn, A. W. Clarkson, Frank Curran, Peter Halmbacher, W. H. Carroll, James B. Carroll, B. F. Boynton, Thomas Andrews, O. W. M. McGinty, A. McMahon, A. S. Morgan, Herbert Meriweather, F. W. Myer, Peter McGonigle, Timothy Nealon, Jacob Ruebsamen, Nicholas Scherer, Steinbach & Dieckhoff, John R. Sumners, Wm. P. Shade, Somerville & Welty, Charles A Taylor, Joseph Wissen and Chas. Wiefel. All of the licenses were issued without opposition, except those to James B. Car-

roll at 150 North Franklin street, and Frank Meyer at 619 North Water street. The vote on the Carroll license was a tie, Ferguson, Harwood, Muzzy, Moffit and Park voting in the negative; Foster, Shoemaker, Simpson, Metz and Whitsel in the affirmative. Mayor Kanan voted in the affirmative. On the Myer license Ferguson, Muzzy, Harwood and Park voted in the negative. Lacense granted by a vote of 6 to 4.

The \$500 official bonds of Charles Meyer and H. B. Westerfield, special poicemen, were approved.

The official bond of L. R. Mills, city at torney, for \$1,000 was approved. The plat of Mills Bros.' addition of 10 lots to the city, on West Macon street, was approved.

An ordinance providing for the payment of the brick paving of West Main street on the installment plan was pre sented for adoption. It provides that when the work is completed and accept ed the first collection shall be 20 per cent of the total amount of special assess ment against each party having property abutting on the street; the remainder of the assessments to be paid in four annual installments, the amounts due to draw interest. This ordinance was presented in compliance with the new law lately adopted by the General Assembly. At any time the party assessed may come in and pay off his assessment and stop interest, if he so desires. The ordinance was adopted. RESOLUTIONS.

By Metz: That an 8-inch field tile be laid on Webster street, from Wood south

to Cantrill, and that same street be brought to grade. Referred to commit tee on streets and alleys.

By Harwood: That an ordinance be

By Harwood: That an ordinance be drawn creating the office of water inspector, whose duty it shall be to inspect all taps and hydrants where water is used; to see that the laws governing the use of water are complied with, and for what purpose used; he shall have police authority. Adopted.

By Harwood: That an ordinance be drawn amending Sec. 18, Chapter 33 of the revised ordinances so as to designate

the revised ordinances so as to designate the hours for sprinkling between 5 and 8 a.m. and 5 and 8 p.m. Adopted.

By Harwood: That a warrant be drawn on account. Adopted.

By Harwood, Shoemaker, Whitsel and
Ferguson: That the Sup't of Streets be
instructed to open Marietta street across
the I. C. R. R. Adopted.

On motion of Ald, Shoemaker, the purchasing committee was instructed to buy two car loads of water pipe for use on THE STANDING COMMITTEES. The Mayor announced the following as

the standing committees for the year: Finance-Harwood, Metz, Ferguson, Finance—Harwood, Metz, Ferguson, Simpson and Park.
Public Improvement—Moffit, Harwood, Shoemaker, Muzzy and Foster.
Streets and alleys—Muzzy, Ferguson, Metz, Harwood and Simpson.
Sidewalks and Crossings—Metz, Harwood, Muzzy, Simpson and Shoemaker.
Fire Department—Shoemaker, Park, Whitsel, Moffit and Foster.
Water Works—Whitsel, Moffit, Metz, Ferguson and Park.

Water Works—Whitsel, Moffit, Metz, Ferguson and Park.
Light—Simpson, Muzzy, Whitsel, Shoemaker and Foster.
Ordinance—Park, Harwood, Metz, Ferguson and Moffit.
Purchasing—Foster, Park, Simpson, Whitsel and Shoemaker.
Printing and Salaries—Ferguson, Whitsel, Muzzy, Moffit and Foster.
Adjourned to the next regular meeting. Adjourned to the next regular meeting

On May 19th Janes Chapel will give

an excursion to Peoria, at \$1.00 for the

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one were granted druggists' permits.
THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.
Commissioners Wells, Bacon and Wayne of the Decatur fire department.

Company of the Decatur fire department.

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40-inch Tricot Suitings, ..... 35c., Worth 50c. 28-inch Serge, in all the New Colors, .... 15c, Worth 25c. 36-inch Diagonal, ..... 22c. Worth 35c. 36-inch all wool English Checks, ..... 60c, Worth \$1.00. 54-inch all wool Cheviot Checks, ..... 95c, Worth \$1.50. Worth 50c. 40-inch all wool French Serge, ..... 48c, Worth 75c. 36-inch all wool English Mixtures, . . . . . 58c, Worth 75c. 40-inch all wool French Novelties, ..... 58c,

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a large assortment of new buggies and ing, Emma Weigand, Lizzie Malloy, Ida carriages at his establishment on Wood street. Bargain prices. THE second Reception and Pupils' Exhibition of the Decatur Art School, conducted by Miss Hendricks, will be held

on Friday and Saturday evenings, May 6th and 7th. The public is cordially invited to attend. Corner North Main and William streets. their action, they cure constipation, stim-EARLY vegetables and fruits in great ulate the appetite and digestive organs, variety at Lytle & Co.'s grocery store. Berries every day. T. PENIWELL, city passenger and ticket agent, 207 North Main street, will sell tickets to Ottawa, Kansas, and return on

May 27, to German Baptist Sunday school meeting, good for 30 days, for \$\text{eq}\$11 fc. Masonic. Regular communication of Macon Lodge No. 8, A. F. & A. M., this (Friday) C. L. HOVRY, W. M.

T. W. PINKERTON, Sec'y.

Eyman, Addie Ebert, Lelah Gladish, Emily Hamsher, and Messrs, Edwin Ewing and Ralph Templeton, all of whom acquitted themselves creditably. AYER'S PILLS are the best cathartic for

and strengthen the system. To the Retail Grocery Trade. On Thursday or Friday of this week we will have a car load of fruits and vegetables direct from New Orleans, consisting of oranges, lemons, bananas, pineapples, new potatoes, new onions, new cabbage, etc., etc. We will give you bar-

and bowels. Gentle, yet thorough in

Commission Merchants, 253 and 257 N. Main 5t.

A log was struck at a depth of 250 feet below the surface of the earth while boring for gas at Greenfield, Ind. At Portland, Ind., the natural gas com pany charges \$1.50 per month for cook correcting irregularities of the stomacl

> in residence. At Kokomo, \$1.25 per month for cook stove and \$1.50 per month for first heater, \$1.25 for second heater and \$1.00 for third heater. At Muncie the rate is \$1.00 per month for cook stove and \$1.50 per month for first heater. In business rooms at above places the rates are from \$2.50 to \$4.25 per month. and saloons and restaurants from \$2.50 to \$6.50 per month. Cook stoves in all boarding houses \$2 and \$2.50 per month. Lights per burner in residence 10 cents per month, and in business rooms 15 cents per month.

stove and \$1.50 per month for first heater

an excursion to Peoria at \$1.00 for the round trip. Goodman's band will go with the party. The Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Commission Mer-Wheat—83¼ May; 85¼ June; 84¾ July; 83% Aug. Corn—38 May; 39% June; 41% July;

LARD-\$6.85 May; \$6.92 June; \$7.02 Rins-\$7.45 May; \$7.55 June; \$7.65

12,000; prospects sell shade higher. Cattle, 9,000; market lower. Car Lots—Wheat: Winter 24; Spring 58; Corn, 102; Oats, 75.

214 Aug. OATS-2614 May; 27% June; 2814 July; — Aug. Pork—\$23.00 May; \$23.00 June; --

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs



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10	٠.	Unlaundried	l "	"	75e,	**	1.00.	
×	**		**	"	60e,	**	75.	
8		**	**	"	45c,	"	60.	

The above goods are all regular goods and well worth ago number of applicants at each office is about outside prices, but we have too many and they must go.

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Chancery Notice.

Mary P Murphey, Elizabeth Hostetler, Elizabeth Ferguson, Heionymus Hanks, Seth C. Hanks and Luella Bradshaw, Complainants, vs. John Beltymer, Laura B. Frieman, Celester M. Getting, Hattle A. Wykel and Martin P. Murphej in ris individual enpacity and its executor of the Will of Margaret Wykel, Defendants. In Chancery. Bill for Partition.

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A Dalias Walt and Lowber Burrows, Trusters, Complishments, vs. Samuel G. Malone, Sellina J. Malone and Frank C. Mever, Defendants,—Uhancery.

Notice in Chancery.

In the Circuit Court, to June Term, 1887

C. Mever, Defendants.—Chancery.
Affidavit of the non-residence of said defendant, Selina J. Malone, having been filed in my office, notice is hereby given to said Selina J. Malone that said suit is now pending in said court, and that unmnons has been issued therein against said defendants, returnable into said rourt, at the place where the same is held in Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday in June, A. D. 187.

April 27th, 187. d.w. Cherk of said Court,

Administrator's Notice.

HON. EDWARD A. MOSELEY

Bosron, May 2.—The Hon. Edward Augustus Moseley, who was lately appointed secretary of the interstate commerce comnission, is a wholseome and active man of business, bronsed by travel and summer

fishing and ruddy with good health and good nature. He is popular in his Massachusetts home and will make friends in his new and rather difficult position. He was born in Newbury-port, Mass., March 23, 1846; his home was there till be ngaged in the lum-per trade in Boston, and it was in

Newburyport that he was married, in 1869. His wife, who was Miss Catherine M. Prescott, is one of a talented family, being a sister of the well known Har-riet Prescott Spofford.

riet Prescott Spofford.

Mr. Mossley has had a singularly varied experience, qualifying him to deal with all sorts of men. His father, Edward S. Moseley, was long an active merchant in the East India trade in the days when New England was a land of sailors and ship owners, and as soon as the son was old enough—16 years—he went on an India voyage in the Coringa, the trip leasting one year. He passed through a severe attack of fever; but after recovering therefrom his system seemed greatly improved, and he speedily developed into a brawny man. Ever since he has been very fond of man. Ever since he has been very fond of boating, fishing, swimming and open air sports. In swimming he is somewhat of a champion. He entered the India trade regularly as partner of N. A. Goddard, of Boston, and continued in it six years; then formed one of the firm of Stetson, Moseley & Co., 44 Kilby street, Boston, dealers in lumber, and there he has remained several years.

Politically a Democrat, he has held but few offices. In 1870 he was elected by Newburyport to the common council, served two years and was then chosen alderman. In 1885 he was elected to the legislature, and re-elected the next year. Here he took a front rank, and his knowledge of railronds caused him to be a leading member in the railroad committee.

THE UNITED STATES ARMY. How It Is Recruited-How the Men Are Tested. (Special Correspondence.)

Chicago, May 3.—People sometimes won-der how, with the deaths and discharges in the army, the regiments are kept up to the minimum number. Recruiting stations for both the cavalry and infantry are maintained in Chicago year in and year out to secure volunteers for the department of Kansas and Missouri. The avertty a month or two per day. In controve sion of the idea popularly entertained, that almost anybody who came along was always accepted at the government recruiting offices, the recruiting sergeant said: "Why, out of the sixty or more applicants every month, we never accept more than eight or ten; indeed, ten acceptable recruits a month has been ten acceptable recruits a month has been considered a high average for Chicago the past four years I have been on duty here. The truth is, the government is rigidly exacting in its acceptance of volunteers. The applicant must be both physically and morally sound, smart, active and intelligent, and perfect as to eyesight and hearing." I happened to be present while a candidate was examined as to his eye and in the large of the control of the surgeon state. held one hand over the applicant's left eye; another man, twenty feet distant, held up playing cards one after another in rapid sucession, and the candidate was required to name the card, how many spots, and whether black or red. Then came the examination as seated, his face to the wall, four feet distant. At his back, some twenty feet distant, the act his back, some twenty feet distant, the sergeant read in a low monotons from the revised statutes, and the applicant had to repeat on the listant the words read. A more difficult task was the repeating of a false multiplication table, the numbers being rapidly spoken in a low tone by the sergeant, nine, ten times nine are seventy-two, elever

an applicant has been accepted, he is carefully impressed with the importance of the step he is taking, and is asked if he has fully considered the matter, and is certain that he is willing to swear away his freedom for five long years and be-come a faithful, obedient Federal soldier for the mere pittance of \$14 a month and the allowance for rations and clothing. The ser-goant antermed me that not infrequently, at goant antermod me that not infrequently, at the expiration of the five years' term, the sol-dier had saved up \$1,000. The pay for five years amounts to \$840, which may all be saved if the soldier is sufficiently provident. Then he can save \$25 a year or so from his allowance for clothing; frequently he had a considerable extra pay for doing "extra duty," and besides, many of the soldiers play the part of teachers, instructing their fellow

duty," and hesides, many of the soldiers play the part of teachers, instructing their fellow soldiers in reaching and writing and other branches. When the term of their enlistment expires they are allowed initings for trivel to place of a releavous. "But new of them return to flar enst," resumed the sergeant; "most of them parchase hind and cattle with their money and become suit fledged ranch owners, and some become well off. I am told," the sergeant continued, "that four-lift has of the ranchmon in the west are discharged fed rai soldiers, who have no occasion to regret having entered the government serves."

L. G. R.

A new industry is being established in South Staffordshov, England, in connection fordshire Steel and Ingot Iron company, Bilston, for the gringing of basic slag for agricultural purposes. A slag louse, 140 feet long by 50 feet, has been built for the accommandation of grinding machinery. The process is divided into three stages. The last completely pulvorizes the slag, making it of such a fineness that it will pass through a mesh of 10,000 boles to the square inch. The sing being composed of 40 per cent, of time and from 16 to 20 per cent, of phosphoric acul is becoming increasingly appreclated as

Must Not Wheel His Own Baby. May a clorgy on an wheel his own haby in a perambulator! One would suppose that he might, but not so think the people of Ediniurg. A carry man there was seen carrying his baby. Ins horrified congagation presented him with a perambulator, but his last this was worst, than the first for he his last state was worst than the first, for he wheeled the volicies along the streets with his baby in it. This insult to the genteel suscepti-bilities of his congregation was too much, and he received a letter pointely informing him that while his abstities gave satisfaction his pastoral services would no longer be required.



The Cake-Western Strike.

Consultavities, Pa., May 4.—The letter of the coke syndicate to the coke workers ions, Knights of Labor and Miners' Ass ciation, agreed not to work until the de-mand is granted. The action was referred to the local assembles for rutification. The night shift did not go to work at the usual hour last night, and it is predicted not one oven will be fired to-day. The toke operators believe the strike will be declared fliegal, as the constitution of the order has not been strictly adhered to in augurating this strike.

Bight Men Struck by Lightning. Ear Caana, Wis, May 3.—The body of Duncan McKienon has been brought here for burist from Little Jump river. He and eight others were simultaneously struck by lightning while working on a log driver. McKinnun was instantly killed and John McGregor was probably fataly injured. The others were stunned, Mrs. Potter Engaged for an American

NEW YORK, May 5.—It was given out this afternoon that Harry Miner had closed a contract, through his London agent, with Mrs. James Brown Potter, for an American tour. She is to open here October 10, at one of the up-town theatres, for a six weeks' stand, and will then take the road visiting however, only the professional standard stan Tour. the road, viniting, however, only the prin cipal cities. The terms are not known.

Explosion of a Cartridge Mac hine. PHILADELPHIA, May 4.—A cartridge ma Frankford exploded yesterday. The fly-ing bullets and pieces of metal inflicted pornful burns and other injuries upon h ee of the girls employed in that depart

SAN FRANCISCO, May 4.—The wages of employes of the American sugar retinery have been reduced ten per cent, the rea-tion assigned being the losses incurred through the operation of the Inter-State Pooled Their Issues. VINCE NAME, Ind., May 4.—The Demo

ection in this city, pooled their issues in order to bent the United Labor ticket, and letel all of the Democratic candidates turilis vari us offices. The labor vote was

A Desperado Shot Dead. PALESTINE Tex., May 5.—John Williams, a de perdo, and the murderer of a wealthy sheep man named Blocker, was shot doad Tuesday night, while trying to eac ps, by Deputy Sheriff Powell of Hill

THE DECATUR MARKETS. Quotations at the Stores and on the

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Estate of Clara O. Cassell, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Clara O. Cassell, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the June term, on the third Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are nottified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 28th day of April, 1887.

THOS. A. CASSELL, apr28-day.

I call the attention of all suffering with this troublesome and painful disease, the Files, to call on me for a remedy that I guarantee will cure you. I will furfert \$1000 den dollars; for any ease that can be cured without the use of instruments, after a lair trial of my outment has failed. I ask you to think and act. No need to suffer longer. I ofter a new testimonials of the many cured by its use. somer tonger. I ofter a tew testimonials of the many cured by its use.

TESTIMONIALS.

DECATUR, ILL., March 16th, 1887.

To the Affacted who may see this:
For more than thirty years of my life I have suffered from that amoying affaction known as freling piles. Those similarly troubled know what that means. Last tall a trient recommended to me a remedy discovered and prepared by Mr. John Ryan, of this city. A few weeks' as of Dr. Ryan's remedy has afforded entire, and I believe permanent relief. A relief, the satisfaction and conitort of which I cannot express. I had tried for years the prescriptions of the best physicians. I could consult and minerous popular tendedies without rehef. I most eherfully commend Mr. Ryan's remedy to those who are suffering the like form of disease.

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P. M. Chambers.
Robert Wilkinson. Jas. L. Mitchell.
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JOHN RYAN. said administration.
EBENEZER McNABB,
Administrator of the Estate of Daniel Aungst
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Notice in Chancery.

first Mönday of June next (1887) as is by law re-quired.

Now, unless you, the said Elias W. Ticknor, Edizabeth Ticknor, Henry H. Ticknor, Mary Ticknor, Harriett Bozarth, John Bozarth, John-son Rozarth, Mary A. Hosler, David Hosler, Walter Bozarth, Buford Bozarth and the un-known heirs of Arthur Bozarth, deceased, shall personally be and appear before said cheur court of Macon county on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur in said county, on the first Monday of June, 1887, and plead, answer or demur to the said coin-paniant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said bill. MILES BROSE, Comp US Soi's. apt:7-d4w

Administrator's Notice.

To the Heirs of Daniel Aungst, Deceased, and all Parties Concerned You are hereby notified that on Monday, the 9th day of May, A. D. 1887, I will present to the County Court of Mason county, filtrois, a final report of my acts and doings as Administrator of the estate of Daniel Aungst, deceased, for approval and application for discharge from said administration.

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Special Election. NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Elec-ion will be held in the town of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on

TUESDAY, the 10th Day of Mag. A. D. at the following voting places in sed town, to

For the purpose of electing One Justice of the Pener, to fill the vacancy existing in that offer in said town, occasioned by the death of J. M. Lawry, Esq., which election will be spenied at eight o clock in the normal and continue epon until seven of bock in the attenuous of that day. Dated at Decant his 14th day of April, of the year of our Lord. One Thousand Eight Hunderland Eight Seven.

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